MR. KULUME CHIKKANNA (Minority Interest).—

Q.—57. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) How many candidates of the Adikarnataka Community have passed the S.S.L.C. Examination?

(*b*) How many of them are employed in Government service (names of the people, their pay and the department in which they are serving to be mentioned)?

(*c*) How many scholarships were granted to the boys of the Adikarnataka Community during the year 1930-31 throughout the State?

CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.—

A.—57. (*a*) Number of candidates of the Adikarnataka Community that passed the S.S.L.C. Examination of 1931 are:—

E.P.S.	....	....	10
E.C. & P.S.	....	...	8

(*b*) A statement showing the particulars is placed on the table. (*Vide* Appendix XV.)

(*c*) Information relating to pupils of the Adikarnataka Community is not readily available. Details relating to the award of scholarships to depressed class pupils (boys) during the year 1930-31 are furnished below:—

No. of scholarships awarded to boys studying in Primary Schools in the State.	1,293
No. of scholarships awarded to boys studying in Middle Schools in the State.	263
No. of scholarships awarded to boys studying in High Schools in the State.	109

In addition to the above a lumpsum grant of Rs. 1,600 was provided for the clothing of the depressed class boys who did not hold scholarships.

The bulk of these scholarships were held by Adikarnataka boys.

MR. PATEL NAGABORIAH (Minority Interest).—

Q.—58. Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) How many wells have been sanctioned in the Bangalore District for the use of the Adikarnatakas and in what places?

(*b*) What are the places to which such wells have yet to be sanctioned?